The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Municipal Court Room on March 3, 1970 at 7:30 P.M. with Mayor Flanary presiding.

Present: V.O. Flanary, G.E. Hunnicutt, S.H. Neeley, W.G. Stallard, Robert Leonard

Also Present: Evan Norton, City Manager

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Benny Coxton appeared before council requesting the Mayor to declare March 8th as Apple Jelly Day. They stated there was to be soliciting over city by Burton 5080 High School.

Mayor Flanary declared March 8th to be Apple Jelly Day. Council & city manager each purchased a jar of jelly.

Mr. Don Davis, Executive Director of Aware appeared before council presenting 5081 some of the operations of AWARE. He also spoke on neighborhood Facilities and explained their position in this program.

Mr. Norton presented letter from Area Recreation Committee requesting the employing of a full time recreation director, and that this be included in 1970-71 budget. 5082

Mr. Franks and Mr. Humphrey members of Local Highway Safety Committee appeared before council requesting the city to authorize the Highway Safety Committee to file 5083 application for Highway Safety Project Grant.

On motion by Robert Leonard, seconded by W.G. Stallard and carried by unanimous vote council moved that the Highway Safety Committee be authorized to go ahead and file the application with the proper office for track and driving range, with the city's share of cost to be in kind. ~

Mr. Norton discussed with council parking meter fines. He recommended to council that the fine be changed to \$1.00 for overtime parking. No action taken.

Mr. Norton reported there was nothing new on EDA and FHA water project.

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Mr. Norton presented proposals from engineers and attorney regarding annexation by the City of Norton.

On motion by G.E. Hunnicutt, seconded by W.G. Stallard and carried by unanimous roll call vote council moved that the city manager be authorized to proceed with annexation in accordance with proposals of the engineers and attorneys.

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Mr. Norton advised there were no new developments on Kentucky Avenue Project.

Council discussed briefly Operation Townlift. Mr. Norton advised that was a meeting scheduled at 1:00 P.M., March 17th in the Court Room regarding Operation Townlift with the merchants, city's consultant engineers and TVA representatives.

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On motion by W.G. Stallard, seconded by Robert Leonard and carried by unanimous vote council moved that Mrs. Norma Lee McElroy be recommended to the Judge of Circuit Court for appointment as Justice of Peace for City of Norton.

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Mayor Flary brought to council model monorail for flag rock recreation area.

Council discussed this matter with Mayor Flanary.

There being no further business to come before council same adjourned.

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